## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES - Allegation of corruption against Smt.Battula Jyothi Lakshmi, Municipal Commissioner, Samalkot East Godavari District - Trapped on 08-12.-2011 - Suspension from service - Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IV.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1674

Dated:-23-12-2011 Read the following:-

From the Deputy Superintendent of Police, ACB, Rajahmundry Range, Rajamundry, East Godavari District Radio Message dated: 12.12.2011.

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## ORDER:-

Whereas, it has been brought to the notice of the Government that Smt.B. Jyothi Lakshmi, Municipal Commissioner, Samalkot Municipality, East Godavari District was trapped on 08.12.2011, when she demanded and accepted the bribe amount of Rs.60,000/- as illegal gratification for an official favour of sanction of pending bill amount of Rs. 10,70,591/- related to the Municipal civil works executed by the Complainant to the Municipality, Samalkot, East Godavari District.

- 2. And whereas, a case in respect of criminal offence has been registered by the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Rajahmundry Range, Rajahmundry in Cr.No.13./RCT-RJY/2011 Under Section 7 & 8 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 on 29.10.2009. The Accused Officer was arrested on 8.12.2011 at 23.45 hours, at the office of the Municipal Commissioner Samalkot, East Godavari District and produced before the Hon'ble Special Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Vijayawada on 09-12-2011 and she was remanded to judicial custody till 22-12-2011.
- 3. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) (a) of Rule 8 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, Government hereby place Smt.B.Jyothi Lakshmi, Municipal Commissioner, Samalkot, Municipality, East Godavari District under suspension from the date of detention i.e. 09-12-2011 and she shall continue to be under suspension in the public interest, until conclusion/termination of all proceedings relating to the Cr.No.13/RCT-RJY/2011.
- 4. Government further order that, during the period this order remains in force, Smt. B.Jyothi Lakshmi, Municipal Commissioner, SamalKot, Municipality East Godavari District shall not leave the head- quarters without obtaining the prior permission of the Government.
- 5. Government also order that during the period of suspension Smt. B.Jyothi Lakshmi, Municipal Commissioner, Samalkot Municipality, East Godavari District shall be paid subsistence allowance as per rules in force.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B. SAM BOB PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Smt. B.Jyothi Lakshmi, Municipal Commissioner, Samalkot Municipality,

East Godavari District

through: the Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad

The Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Director-General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner,

A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

The M.A.&U.D.( A/E/L) Department.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER